## WHAT IS CLAIMED IS

An online organizing method comprising the steps
of:

searching personal information of participants of a plurality of terminals connected to a network;

selecting the participants, who are compatible with one another, based on the personal information of the participants to organize selected participants; and

sharing information by the terminals of the organized participants; and

transmitting to the respective terminals control information for carrying out a specific task.

An online organizing method according to claim 1, wherein

for collecting on line the information for the organization from the terminals connected to the network, the participants input information by selecting items displayed on the screens to input the information.

3. An online organizing method comprising the steps of:

searching personal information of participants of a plurality of terminals connected to a network;

selecting the participants, who are compatible with one another, based on the personal information of the participants to organize the selected participants;

sharing information by the terminals of the organized participants; and

transmitting control information for starting a program to be carried out on the terminals from an intervening stage of the program.

4. An online organizing method according to claim 3, wherein

said program is an online game, and said intervening stage is one of stages of the online game.

## 5. A server comprising:

organizing means for, based on personal information of participants of a plurality of terminals connected to a network, selecting the participants, who are compatible with one another, to organize the selected participants; and

information sharing means for interconnecting the terminals of the organized participants to share information.

- 6. A server according to claim 5, wherein said participants organized by the organizing means are supplied as they are to said information sharing means.
- 7. A server according to claim 5, wherein said server transmits control information for carrying out a specific task to the terminals of the participants organized by the organizing means.
- 8. A server according to claim 7, wherein said specific task is a task for starting a program to be carried out on said plurality of terminals from an intervening stage of the program.
- 9. A server according to claim 8, wherein said program is an online game, and said intervening stage is one of stages of the online game.
- 10. A terminal device to be connected to the server according to claim 5, comprising:

external memory means for storing personal information of a participant,

when the terminal device is connected to the server, the personal information stored in the external memory means is uploaded to the server.

- 11. An external memory means provided in the terminal device according to claim 10 and storing the personal information of the users.
  - 12. A terminal device for a network system in which

a plurality of the terminal devices are connected to a server,

said terminal device transmitting personal information of a user to the server; sharing information through the server among the rest terminal devices organized by the server; and cooperating with the rest terminal devices to carry out a specific task.

- 13. A terminal device according to claim 12, wherein said specific task is a task for starting a program to be carried out by said plurality of the terminal devices from an intervening stage of the program.
- 14. A terminal device according to claim 13, wherein said program is an online game, and said intervening stage is one of stages of the online game.
- 15. A task carrying out method in which terminal devices connected to a server, comprising the steps of:

transmitting personal information of the users of the terminal devices to the server;

sharing information through the server among the rest terminal devices organized by the server; and

cooperating with the rest terminal devices to carry out a specific task.

16. A program for a server comprising the steps of: searching personal information of the participants of a plurality of terminals connected to a network;

selecting the participants, who are compatible with one another, based on the personal information of the participants;

sharing information among the terminals of the organized participants; and

transmitting control information for carrying out a specific task.

17. A program for a terminal device comprising the steps of:

transmitting to a server personal information of users;

sharing information through the server among the rest terminal devices organized by the server; and

cooperating with the rest terminal devices to carry out a specific task.

- 18. A storage medium storing a program according to claim 16.
- 19. A storage medium storing a program according to claim 17.